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On May 21, 2008, EconOff spoke to Ramesh Lutchmedial, Director General of the Civil Aviation Authority of Trinidad and Tobago regarding T&T's position on the proposals outlined in reftel. Lutchmedial expressed support for all U.S. positions in reftel and more generally stated that T&T supports the U.S. on all security related issues. Lutchmedial noted that he has yet to identify a representative from T&T to attend the ICAO meeting later this month.

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